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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : ITOH, et al.

App. No. : 10/595440

Filed : April 19, 2006

For : FINE METAL PARTICLES AND FINE

THEREOF

METAL OXIDE PARTICLES IN DRY

POWDER FORM, AND USE

Examiner : Weiping Zhu

Art Unit : 1734

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AMENDMENT

## Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action, dated February, 3, 2011, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-captioned application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 24 of this paper.